GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Skills Development and Training Department – Technical Education - Restoration of full pension to Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Sr. Lecturer (Retd.,) and absorbed pensioner into Public Sector Undertakings (PSU) in line with the orders issued by Government of India, as per the orders of the Hon'ble High Court, as a special case – Orders – Issued.

SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING (TE) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt.No.126, Dated.27-09-2022.
Read the following:-

1. Office Memorandum F.No.4/34/2002-P&PW(D).Vol.II dated 23.06.2017.
2. Representation received from Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Sr. Lecturer (Retd.,) Govt., Polytechnic, Vijayawada dt. 09-08-2017 and 30-05-2018.
3. From the CTE, AP, Vijayawada Lr. No. A1-2/1635/2019, Dt. 24-02-2020 & 28-8-2020.
4. Govt., Memo No. 3689/TE.A1/2017, Dt. 27-01-2021. (Speaking order)
5. Representation received from Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Sr. Lecturer (Retd.,) Govt., Polytechnic dt. 24.09.2021.
6. Govt., Memo. No. 261206/3689/TE.A2/2017, Dt.9-12-2021.
7. From the CTE Lr. No. EHE02-12027/13/2022-D-B-CTE, Dt. 31-03-2022.
8. Orders dt. 26-04-2022 of Hon'ble High Court of AP in W.P. No.3309 / 2022 filed by Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Sr. Lecturer (Retd.,).

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ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Senior Lecturer (Retd.,) Government Polytechnic, Vijayawada has stated that he worked as a Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering in the Department of Technical Education for about 25 years from 27-10-1958 to 28-10-1993 and was absorbed in Bharat Heavy Plates & Vessels, Visakhapatnam w.e.f 28-10-1993 with all Pensionary benefits vide G.O. Ms. No. 58, LEN & TE Dept., dt. 21-02-1985. He is drawing 1/3 portion of pension as per G.O. Ms.No. 168, Finance & Planning Department, dt. 05-10-1999. Now, he has requested to restore his full pension in terms of the Office Memorandum F.No.4/34/2002-P&PW(D).Vol.II dated.23.06.2017 of Government of India.

2. In the reference 4th read above, Government have issued speaking order, stating that unless and until Government takes a policy decision on adoption of new Office Memorandum F.No.4/34/2002-P&PW(D).Vol.II dated 23.06.2017 of GoI for restoration of full pension to the absorbed pensioners, Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, shall not be eligible for restoration of full pension and accordingly rejected his request as his request is not feasible for acceptance.

3. Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Senior Lecturer (Retd.,) has filed a WP No.3309/2022, challenging the speaking order dated 27.01.2021, and the Hon'ble High Court in its orders dt. 26.04.2022, has directed to extend the benefit of Office Memorandum of the Government of India dated 23.06.2017 and the subsequent Corrigendum dated 21.07.2017 in the case of the petitioner and release the full pension and other consequential benefits as per his entitlement under the law specifically within a period of four months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

P.T.O.

4. In the circumstances reported by the Commissioner of Technical Education in the references 3rd and 7th read above and also the above orders passed by the Hon'ble High Court, Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby issue orders for restoration of full pension to Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Sr.Lecturer (Retd.,), and absorbed pensioner in Public Sector Undertaking, (PSU) as per Memorandum F.No.4/34/2002-P&PW(D), Vol.II, dated:23.06.2017 and the subsequent Corrigendum dated 21.07.2017 issued by the Government of India, as a special case and shall not be treated as precedent case applicable to any other employees and it would not prejudice State Governments' right to appeal.

5. The Director of Technical Education shall take necessary action accordingly.

6. This order issued with the concurrence of Finance (HR.III-Pension,GPF) Deprtment vide their U.O. No.FIN01-HR00THI/24/2020-HR-III, dt. 23-09-2022.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SAURABH GAUR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Director of Technical Education,
Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
Sri P. Ramachandra Rao, Sr. Lecturer (Retd.,) (through the Director of Technical Education)
The Pay and Accounts Officer, AP, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Finance(HR.III-Pension,GPF) Department , AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The O.S.D. to Minister for SD&T Department.
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government, SD&T Department.
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SECTION OFFICER